

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6444**  
Akihiro SATO : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_0525A  
Serial No. 10/814,184 : Group Art Unit 2619  
Filed April 1, 2004 : Examiner Michael J. Moore, Jr

DATA MULTIPLEXING APPARATUS,  
DATA MULTIPLEXING METHOD, AND  
TRANSMISSION APPARATUS

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated January 9, 2008, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and further reexamination of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.